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PATENTS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Satoshi HOSHINO

Serial No. 09/252,034

GROUP 2723

Filed February 18, 1999

Examiner S. Ahmed

DEVICE FOR DETECTING A FINGER-PRINT, ELECTRIC APPARATUS AND DOORKEEPER APPARATUS

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of September 11, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 4, change "built-in the" to --a built-in--:

line 16, after "converts" insert --the

pattern--;

line 24, change "is found by" to

--includes--.

Page 2, line 2, change "device," to --devices,--; line 27, change "is incorporated in" to

--incorporates--.

Page 6, line 25, change "found by" to --formed of --.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 1-7.

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